

# Pandemic Influenza Expo

## Sydney, 30 August 2007



Lunch Sponsor

**Date:** 30 August 2007  
**Timings:** 12:15-4:40  
**Location:** Level 6, 51-57 Pitt Street  
Macquarie Graduate School of Management, Sydney  
**Registration: No charge (inclusive of lunch at 12.20pm to 1.30pm)**  
*Please note: For catering purposes, registration is required by 20<sup>th</sup> August*

### Overview

The Pandemic Influenza Expo is a small scale expo designed to provide the latest knowledge on issues, products and services of importance to those responsible for workplace pandemic influenza measures.

The Expo consists of a:

1. lecture series
2. table-top display of exhibiting organisations.

### Benefits of attending

The key benefits of attending are:

1. Gaining a rapid understanding of the suppliers and their limitations of supply during elevated pandemic alert levels
2. Networking with others responsible for workplace pandemic influenza measures to compare preparatory measures, and share experiences of what is effective and ineffective in workplaces

### Lecture series

Each exhibitor will make an address for 20 minutes (including questions) addressing the following issues:

- The products and services available
- The current availability of supplies
- The expected delays in availability following raised pandemic alert levels
- The goods and services available at present and in the near future

### Exhibiting organisations

#### Program

12:15 – 12:30	Registration
12:30 – 1:20	Lunch
1:20 – 1:30	Welcome by Dr Barry Gilbert, Public Health Management
1:30 – 1:50	GlaxoSmithKline
1:50 – 2:10	Dräger Safety
2:10 – 2:30	CRG Healthcare
2:30 – 3:00	Break
3:00 – 3:20	Virogard
3:20 – 3:40	Roche
3:40 – 4:00	The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners
4:00 – 4:20	Soaptronic
4:20 – 4:40	Pandemic Workplace Training



The Australian Homeland Security Research Centre undertakes independent, evidence-based analysis of domestic security issues as well as facilitating a range of security related professional development events.

### **Who Should Attend**

- Pandemic Preparedness Officers
- Employees who are likely to become the organisation's influenza officer prior to or during a pandemic.
- Business continuity managers planning for a pandemic

### **Cost**

There is no charge to attend this day and lunch is included. However registration is required for catering purposes.

To register either

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or tel 02 6161 5143

or complete the attached fax registration form

or complete an online registration at [www.homelandsecurity.org.au/events](http://www.homelandsecurity.org.au/events)

### **Location**

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## **Exhibitors**

### **GlaxoSmithKline**

GlaxoSmithKline (GSK) Australia is one of Australia's largest pharmaceutical and healthcare companies and is committed to improving the quality of human life by enabling people to do more, feel better and live longer.



GSK has four main sites in Australia, employing more than 1500 people. It is Australia's largest supplier of vaccines and a leading supplier of medicines for asthma, bacterial and viral infections, depression, migraine, gastroenterological disease, epilepsy, smoking cessation and pain relief. More than 16 million Australians rely on at least one of GSK's medicines, vaccines or consumer healthcare products.

The company invests more than \$36 million in R&D each year, making it one of Australia's top 20 R&D investors. GSK Australia plays a significant role in the global pharmaceutical supply chain – exporting in excess of 70% of production to more than 78 countries.

In 2006 GSK commissioned two lines to manufacture Relenza for global distribution to assist Government's in pandemic flu planning.

### ***Draeger Safety***

Dräger Safety AG & Co. KGaA commenced business in 1889 in Lübeck, Germany, and has since developed into a global concern represented in more than a hundred countries. Draeger Safety Pacific represents Dräger's safety technology in Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and numerous Pacific Islands.

**Dräger**safety

[www.draeger.com](http://www.draeger.com)

Dräger Safety develops, produces, sells and services equipment and systems worldwide which, in addition to assisting human respiration, are designed to monitor and protect life-supporting functions while at the same time creating better and safer conditions for the environment.

Products supplied and supported in the domestic market include:

- fixed and portable gas detection equipment
- respiratory masks and filters
- breathing apparatus and test equipment
- chemical protection suits
- decompression chambers and diving systems
- breathing air compressors
- breath alcohol and drug testing devices
- confined space entry equipment
- mobile and stationary training galleries
- rental equipment

### ***CRG Healthcare***

CRG Healthcare is a subsidiary of Clean Room Garments Pty Ltd. CRG has been the market leader in contamination and infection control solutions for over 35 years. Personal protective equipment (PPE) is a well established area of expertise within CRG Healthcare, with particular emphasis on the customised supply, packaging, storage and training of pandemic related PPE for the Australian and NZ Federal Governments and various Australian corporations. Visit [www.CRGhealthcare.com.au](http://www.CRGhealthcare.com.au) for comprehensive pandemic influenza information, relevant website links and customisable kit contents, with flexible schemes to suit your company's needs, budget and storage requirements.



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### ***Virogard***

Virogard Pty Ltd has developed an entirely new antimicrobial personal protective mask aimed at replacing the 'surgical mask' in common use and also conventional P2 or N95 particulate respirators. Practical cost-effective protection from airborne bacteria and viruses is becoming a significant issue in a world susceptible to contagious diseases such as SARS and pandemic influenza.

The reusable VIROGARD mask has an ergonomic fit so that it can be worn without discomfort for long periods. It is simple to fit and wear. More importantly the mask has unique features that enhance protection – an oil/water repellent and a permanent antimicrobial coating that is entirely safe for humans but kills bacteria and viruses (including Influenza Type A) on contact.



[www.virogard.com](http://www.virogard.com)

This Australian development is available now and attracting considerable international interest.

## Roche

Roche is a leading healthcare company with a uniquely broad spectrum of innovative solutions. For more than 100 years, Roche has been active in the discovery, development, manufacture and marketing of novel healthcare solutions. Roche products and services address prevention, diagnosis and treatment of diseases, thus enhancing well-being and quality of life.



[www.roche-australia.com](http://www.roche-australia.com)

## The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners

The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP) was established to maintain high standards of learning and conduct in general practice (GP/family medicine). It is governed by a Council which meets face-to-face approximately five times a year. The Executive of Council may also meet on other occasions between meetings of the full Council.

The mission of the RACGP is to benefit communities by ensuring high quality clinical practice, education, and research for Australian general practice, and supporting current and future members in their pursuit of clinical excellence.



## Soaptronic

Soaptronic produces the germcontrol® touchless sanitation system. This touchless dispensing unit forms the core of the Soaptronic infection control system. Its features include:

- infrared sensor
- user adjustable dispensing volume
- airtight, self-collapsing cartridges
- battery operated
- wallmountable



[www.soaptronic.com.au](http://www.soaptronic.com.au)

Germstar® instant hand sanitizer is the choice for highest performance infection control. Its features include:

- kills 99.99% of most disease causing germs
- self-evaporating - no sinks, towels, waste
- softens and moisturizes skin

## Pandemic Workplace Training

Pandemic Workplace Training (PWT) provides an online pandemic preparation course that teaches practical measures to help prepare all staff for a pandemic influenza outbreak. This short 25 minute online course is written in conjunction with doctors and specialists from the Australian Homeland Security Research Centre. The course answers the following questions:

- What is pandemic Influenza?
- How can I protect myself and others?
- What social behavioral, personal hygiene and social distancing measures are recommended?
- What are the signs and symptoms of pandemic influenza?
- What is the Australian Government doing?



[www.pandemic.net.au](http://www.pandemic.net.au)

Also included in the course are 15 downloads including practical exercises, cleaning product information and preventive measures on how to reduce the chances of infection.

# Registration Form



Or register on line at

[www.homelandsecurity.org.au/events](http://www.homelandsecurity.org.au/events)

## Instructions

Please register me for the event ticked below on

- 30 August 2007  
Pandemic Influenza Expo, Sydney

## Price

\$0

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- Attendance details will be emailed to you containing parking.

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By signing this form, you are agreeing to the conditions listed at

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